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"HARVEY" PRODUCTION WELL UNDERWAY AT TELSTAR

Production for the play "Harvey" by Mary Coyle Chase is well underway at Telstar Regional High School. The cast has been chosen and students are memorizing parts and working on character development. Elwood P. Dowd is portrayed by Ed Greenleaf, a junior from Bethel. Ed states that he likes his character because he is a relaxed person who enjoys people and is sure of himself—also because he has the "Rabbit" for a friend. Mary Beth Feeney is a junior from Bethel, playing the part of Mrs. Veta Louise Simmons, a widow and Elwood's sister. A newcomer to the stage, Mary Beth is doing a beautiful job with her character.

Jane Crosby, a professional mime who studied dance in New York City and toured nationally with Celebration Mime Ensemble for three years, spent some time with cast members. She worked with them on relaxation exercises prior to going on stage and spoke frankly about the feelings a performer has before an entrance in front of an audience, be it 50 or 5,000, and how she deals with those feelings. Her suggestions for Elwood's treatment of the invisible Harvey and the cast's physical interactions with each other were very helpful. She plans to visit again before show time.

Jon Owen, Robby Dixon and Jim Gorman have been working on the lights. Furnishings for the set have generously been lent by Betty and John Woodbury of East Stoneham. Cast members are in the midst of acquiring costumes. Patrons for the production have been generous. "Harvey" will be presented on Friday, Dec. 11, and Saturday, Dec. 12, at the Telstar Auditorium. Curtain is at 8 p. m.—don't miss it! Set aside one of these dates on your calendar for good family entertainment. Tickets will be available starting Friday, Nov. 20. They will be on sale at Prim's Rexall Pharmacy and Hillside Racquetball and Health

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M. S. A. D. #44

Directors' Meeting

The M.S.A.D. #44 Board of Directors met in regular session at the Andover Elementary School on Monday evening of this week.

The board approved the following personnel appointments: Levi Brown, high school ski jumping coach; Tom Riley, middle school assistant boys' basketball coach; Kelly Dooen, middle school assistant girls' basketball coach.

Sheila Otero-Otero was approved as a teacher aide with assignment to the Ethel Bisbee School. This position is half-time Title I and half-time Special Education.

The board granted "first reading" approval to the following "Residency Policy": "School Administrative District #44 will only enroll a child in school if the child's parent or legal guardian resides in this District. In the event that guardianship proceedings have been initiated prior to the student's registration in school, the student will be admitted for a sixty (60) day period, pending the execution of guardianship papers. If guardianship papers are not received after sixty (60) days, the continued on Page Eight

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Plans Underway For Bethel's Annual Christmas Pageant

Volunteers are needed to participate in Bethel's Annual Living Nativity Pageant. Although the pageant is not to be presented until late December, this early start will enable more people of all ages to participate in one of Bethel's very special events.

Director of the pageant is Christine Greenleaf. Presently employed by the Bethel Inn and Country Club, Chris has studied theatre for 10 years, including workshops with mime Tony Montanaro and dancers Hal and Gail Mishka. Before returning to Bethel in June, Chris worked with the Mishler Theatre in Altoona, Pa.

Director of Lighting for the pageant is John Owen. John is a senior at Telstar Regional High School where he is the Lighting Technician for the Drama Department. He also participates in Stage Band, skiing, and is an active member of the Bethel Ambulance Service.

The first planning meeting will be held shortly after Thanksgiving, but all persons interested in any aspect of the production, should call Chris at 824-2744.

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CENTER STAGE — "The Maples" at the Bethel Inn was all "ajustle" with activity Tuesday afternoon, and evening as a commercial for Hallmark greeting cards was being filmed. The Broad Street scene depicted a family going to grandmother's house for dinner after church. The above photo offers a panorama of the "set" showing some of the equipment necessary in filming a 30-second TV "spot".

Greenwood City

— Mrs. Collette Morgan, Corres. —
Over the pond and like pins in a pin cushion the pine trees rose from slopes silhouetted against the sunrise. The wind had polished the world to a diamond brilliance. I thought it was a good day to take my last boat ride of the season.

Of course the October brilliance had already slipped into the tarnished softness of November.

Half the countryside spread out, looped and laced by the Sanborn River.

A dead Queen Ann's Lace, its whiteness with a single jewel of garnet in the center, was dried and drooping where I entered the boat.

Toward the north and west, ridge after ridge stood out, each curve like a stallion's mane; all memories of hikes, especially Overcrest Bluff, where Ruth lost her shirt which she had tied around her waist. A five dollar bill was in the pocket. Ever after we joked about "losing your shirt or looking for five dollars."

I rowed down pond and into Sanborn River. The button bushes at the entrance which in summer have pale green balls that look like tiny torpedoes were without any torpedoes today.

The rains and season had brought changes to all plants; cotton grass, pond lilies, salt and pepper grass, pickerel weed and others. But come spring they will return and wait for me again.

I suppose the state of Maine is best known for its summer dress. But most of us know of the range of beauty in autumn, which gives way to winter, when the rising sun lies on shimmering diamonds. Then spring, another glory!

Up the river I rowed, where forest and water seemed a fairyland of loveliness. The forest, had only here and there, an isolated splash of color. In places the river grew lighter and the sandy or leaf covered bottom was slipping by with every polished pebble visible below. I can now recall them, mysterious, enticing, far off and unattainable. I would paddle for a while, then drift or swing to the bank, where I stopped to listen to the music of the wind in the pine tops. The sky was bright, as the pines caught the sun enough to make it seem also like Christmas and its twinkling stars.

I spent much time just drifting, while from out there, came the tang of the forest mingled with the rich aroma that was swept to me. I sat in somber silence and

thought, while little ripples on my river brought near, a sort of peace for which I was searching.

Again I slid out into the river, Boat responding quickly to the oars. It was a good day to be off alone on the river. I watched and waited for anything that chose to entertain me. I had but two choices to make on the river, up or down, where on the pond the possibilities are many. My first choice was to go up as far as I could, then turn and go down to the pond again.

The river was like a ribbon of silver against the velvety blackness of the evergreens.

Suddenly I became aware of a strange sadness. I felt a longing for something forever lost.

A few leaves fluttered down and rode the waters, as I was doing, dancing in copper brightness.

I passed slight indentations and shore jutting roots, came to the mouth of the river, then gazed lingeringly and regretfully back up stream. My boat was put away for the winter shortly after.

Now as I write, the sun is vanishing, scattering crimson fires. Shadows which have been crawling up the inclines extinguished the fires, as they sped into the heavens. Above the mountain the evening star burns like a platinum flame. It, too, will vanish and the full moon will ride the sky sending forth its radiance, groping for the pine tops with gleaming fingers. Night is being born out of the silence of space.

At the Hayes Homestead on Wednesday it was an interesting day and again on Sunday. Callers were: Del and Betty Hayes, Auburn; Glenn and Rachel and Kerry Hayes, Gray, and a friend; Duane Hayes and family, West Paris; Mr. Frazier and son, Massachusetts, who are here hunting. Glenn was a lucky hunter. He got his deer on Wednesday.

Callers at Holt's were Anna Henderson and grandson, Sumner; David Holt and a friend, Dexter; Frank Waterhouse, West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brennan, Seakonk, Mass.

We called on Carl and Lettie Brooks in West Paris, on Sunday, then Lettie and I went to Ledgeview to visit with Marjorie Loye and Edla Tamlander.

Our callers were: Dennis and Joshua Adams, town; Blaine Mills, Locke Mills; David Holt and friend, Dexter; Dot Curtis, town. Ray Holt was hostess to Club Eight at her home on Tuesday. Anna Jarvenpaa was the winner of the prize.

Locke Mills

— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. —
The Women's Auxiliary of the Greenwood Fire Department will meet Tuesday, Nov. 24 at 6:30 p.m. at the Fire Station. The craft fair will be the topic of discussion.

Mrs. Herbert Dunham had the misfortune to fall and break a bone just above the ankle this week end. She expects to be unable to work for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills were in Norway Friday afternoon. John had a check-up at the doctor's and they enjoyed shopping at the mall and supper at a local restaurant.

Visitors Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville were Mrs. Nancy Snyder, Ried and Amber, Hiram; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lurvey, Gorham, Me., and their children; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Humphrey and family, Daneane; Michael Scott and Richard, Porter; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lurvey and family, Tammy, Gary and Jennifer, Scarborough; Mr. and Mrs. William Day and family, Scott, Brent and Brian, Brownfield, R. I., and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lurvey, Bar Mills.

Mrs. Laura Seames celebrated her 85th birthday Thursday, Nov. 12. She very much appreciated all her cards, gifts and two birthday cakes.

Mrs. Bertha Flanders has been

ill with respiratory infection all this week.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham entertained overnight visitors from Connecticut, Monday. Her granddaughter, Mrs. Diana Dickinson and son, Jason and friends; Robert Pound and daughter, Regina, made a stopover visit on their way to Millinocket where they will spend a couple of days visiting relatives of Mr. Pound.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. Mildred Merrill took in a puppet service of the Children's Crusades at the Bethel Nazarene Church Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Seames entertained Mrs. Laura Seames Wednesday evening for a pre-birthday supper. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Seames Jr., and son were also present.

There will be a Thanksgiving supper at 4 p.m. at the Bethel Nazarene Church on Saturday, Nov. 21. All are welcome and particularly any person who has no family nearby to share Thanksgiving with. Just bring yourself and come share dinner with some of God's family. Need transportation? Call the pastor or this correspondent. The dinner is free.

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North Waterford

— Mrs. Jo Sanderson, Cor. —

The Knight Riders met at the East Stoneham Fire Station, Tuesday night, Nov. 10, with 12 members and two young guests.

The meeting was opened at 7:20 by President Bill Hunt. Jo Sanderson gave the secretary's report and it was accepted as read. Treasurer, Julie Bickford gave her report on finances and that also was accepted. It was voted to play Mr. Millett for the steel roofing for the club house and the boys have it all on.

Pete Fox reported on the lumber but doesn't know how much more will be needed to finish the job so we will wait on that bill.

Sunday, Nov. 15, weather permitting, the boys will meet at the club house at 9 a.m. for detail work. It is hoped they will get all the windows in, roof nail holes caulked. They hope to be able to move in the stove, sink and table, also move the comfort house. Pete Fox is to pick up enough metalbestos to take care of the chimney.

Trails were discussed and it is hoped work can start on those this week. You see, we are thinking snow!

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m. and the ladies served lunch and coffee.

The next meeting will be Dec. 8. Members, please come and see

how much the boys have accomplished.

World Fair Association meeting was held Nov. 4 at the North Waterford Fire Station, with 19 members present. The following members were elected to be in charge of the following events: Midway and grounds, Bruce Bradford; Grounds improvement, Brian Starbird and Richard Varney; Neat Stock, Durland Barker; Horse, Cattle and Pony Pulling, Randy Pike; Woodmen's Day, Kenneth Morse and Brian Starbird; Four Wheel Drive pull, Hank Rolfe; Fiddler's Contest, Richard Varney; Pig Scramble, Dee Dee Morse; Parade, Dee Dee Morse; Horse Shoe Tournament, Peter Mason; Expo Hall, Isabelle Rolfe; Dance, Rodney and Marie Rolfe. Voted to change by-laws, Lou Bernier.

The next meeting will be on Dec. 2, 7 p.m. at the North Waterford Fire Station. Anyone interested is always welcome.

Bert Rugg is in the Osteopathic Hospital on Brighton Avenue, in Portland, again.

Clyde Stanton chauffeured Jo Sanderson to Lewiston Thursday, on business.

Walter Lord will celebrate his 99th birthday on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 26. He would love cards from his friends. His address is: Pomeroy Hill Nursing Home, Parkview Ave., Livermore Falls, Maine. 04254

NEWS FROM ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

The S.A.D. #44 Adult and Community Education Conversational French classes, under the direction of Monique Rolfe, sponsored an afternoon program at the Moses Mason House in Bethel on Nov. 14. An introduction to the method of teaching foreign languages used in S.A.D. #44 both at Telstar and in adult education, and at Gould Academy was explained and demonstrated by Phil Taylor and Felix Otero-Otero of the Telstar faculty and by Tienke Ouwinga of Gould Academy. The method, using visual images to present material, was originally developed by French instructors to teach the language to military personnel, and has since been widely adapted to teach many other languages to people of all ages and educational levels. Following the Voix et Images de France demonstration, Madame Colette Roche, president of the Alliance Francaise of Portland, spoke briefly in French on the importance of foreign language training, and then in English on the Franco-American victory at Yorktown. The afternoon concluded with a social hour and refreshments provided by the Adult and Community Education students of Mrs. Rolfe.

Plans are in progress for the second semester of Adult and Community Education courses. Some classes will begin in late January, with the majority of general interest courses to start after the February school vacation. A brochure listing programs will be sent out via bulk mail to residents of S.A.D. #44 in January. The S.A.D. #44 Adult and Community Education office is attempting to assemble a supplementary mailing list of S.A.D. #44 residents who receive their mail through post offices outside of the District, specifically in East Stoneham, West Paris, Rumford Point or North Waterford. Every attempt will be made to provide S.A.D. #44 residents on those routes with prompt delivery of the brochures, if they will send their name and address to the S.A.D. #44 Adult and Community Education office, Telstar.

BETHEL LIBRARY NEWS

Bethel Library entered the children's book award contest held in conjunction with children's book week Nov. 16-20 in the Central Maine District. The contest was to describe in detail the plan for the library's celebration of Children's Book Week.

The plan in Bethel was "Write a Book". The Library invited grades 1-5 to visit the Bethel Library by grades. Each class was invited to present a charade or dramatization of the story being read by the teacher to classmates.

Guest speakers, Sue Fawar and Phyllis Dock, authors of "Samantha on Stage" and "Little Hawk" respectively, were present to encourage students to write a story, also to illustrate it.

An invitation went out from the Librarian, Virginia Keniston, to each student to write a story either with words or illustrations or both. During Christmas vacation these books will be on display at the Bethel Library.

Bethel Library received honorable mention for the plan they entered and 120 children's books were received as a prize.

High School, Bethel, Maine 04217, or phone 824-2136.

The Learning Fair set for Dec. 2, with a snow date on Dec. 3, will provide the opportunity for past, current, and prospective Adult and Community Education students to see the results of the courses given this fall. Additional displays will be provided by the University of Maine at Augusta's Lewiston-Auburn Center, the historical societies of Bethel, Woodstock and Greenwood, and the quilt groups from Bethel and Andover. The Learning Fair will begin at 6 p.m. with the traditional potluck supper and conclude at 8 with a Christmas concert by the S.A.D. #44 Adult and Community Education Chorus.

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Sunday River

— Jeannine Fleet, Corres. —

Mrs. Mary Morin was in Warren to visit her mother, Mrs. Enid Ramsey for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell were at their home for the week end.

The road commissioner and some other crew have been working on the Monkey Brook Road. They have improved it quite a bit.

The Mothers Club will be having another food sale the first part of December.

Have seen some deer go down in or on vehicles so guess there are a few lucky hunters around.

Mrs. Marilyn Swan is working at the drug store.

Sent in by Eva Yates:
A cloudy but warm morning—but we have had some lovely November days. Thanksgiving is close upon us. Hope it's happy for everyone. Hunters have been around but I have heard of no deer. I started the week by warming up the Go-Shoes and going to the doctor in Dixfield all for nothing. She did not know what my trouble was any more than I did. On Tuesday we aired the Go-Shoes and three of us went to Rumford, had supper, then went shopping to get rid of that stuff that was burning holes in your pockets. And Eveline—do you know of any better day to go shopping than on a rainy one? If it's raining you don't feel rushed and you are O.K. as long as you stay on your side of the river so you can get home.

Viva Whitman of Norway and Helen Shout were dinner guests at Joe and Eva's recently.

Peggy Blake has moved to the Dooen Trailer Park for the winter. She spent the week end in Connecticut with relatives.

Darmita Yates and baby Eva spent the week end in New Hampshire and Vermont with friends.

At last the new water pipe is laid so no more gunk from that old iron pipe that no doubt was laid just before Noah took to the Ark.

Bear River Grange was postponed Saturday night for lack of members so two would-be visitors stopped in at Joe and Eva's and enjoyed a tomato stew supper. The guests Verna and Esther brought custard pie (delicious) and cranberry bread (yum yum). We had an enjoyable evening.

Our Maud and our Elsie have sure forsaken us I guess. Hope they have turkey Thanksgiving.

Last Thursday morning as Peggy Blake was going to work just before 4 a.m. she was about opposite the Barn Motel when a bull moose came into the road and clipped along beside the car for a short distance. Then she left him behind. She had wanted to see one all summer but I think this one was a surprise.

Have started the week right—went to town early. Hope all the sick ones are on the up and up. Keep your ear muffs and your mittens handy, as we shall have snow.

Sorry to hear Eddie Daye had an accident and hurt his truck. Hope it's repairable.

Peggy Blake got her car out of the repair shop Friday. See you next week.

JACKSON-SILVER POST #48 AMERICAN LEGION

Veterans Day parade, Nov. 11, in Locke Mills, was held under cloudy skies, but the bright blue uniforms of the Telstar marching band, added a bit of color and furnished the music, directed by Jerry Hefley.

Melinda Mason, on her palomino horse, led the way, with her Dad, Jackson Silver Post Commander, Charlie Mason, following, proudly wearing his Bronze Star, received in the Korean Conflict. He was accompanied by the speaker, State Vice Commander, Ed Roach of Dixfield.

The color bearers were next in line. The firing squad behind the band and the two cars carrying the WWI vets, their wives and others unable to march. Past Department Commander, John Howe drove the second car.

The Daughters of Union Veterans of Bryant Pond, marched as always, with their American flags. Marine veteran Carolyn Brooks, represented the Bethel Post and Unit.

At the Honor Roll Commander Mason introduced Chaplain Cummings, for the prayer and his wife, Fannie, layed the wreath. She was assisted by their four great grandchildren. The girls, Rebecca West and Angela Lovejoy placed small bouquets of poppies and the boys, Shane Lovejoy and Christopher West, replaced the small, faded American flags with new ones. They belong to the Auxiliary and Sons of the American Legion.

The surprise of the day was the presentation of the "Appreciation of Service to God and Country Awards" to World War I veteran Alanson Cummings and Mrs. Fannie Cummings for their 63 and 61 years of service respectively, by their own Post and Unit. They are charter members.

At the hall, Gold Star Sister Flora Swinton was introduced, and welcomed was World War I veteran and Mrs. Dave Chamberlain of Hartford.

Approximately 100 were served the fried clam dinner and home made pies. It took all the active members to accomplish the all day program that included the game party and dance. Vietnam veteran Eldon Bartlett was parade chairman and assisted in publicity. Veteran Charlie Day remains at Togus but was able to be home for the week end.

The Cummings' and John Howe attended the banquet for National Commander Jack Flynn in Rumford, Saturday night.

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Fiscal year 1981 came to an end Sept. 30. The following activities were accomplished on the 100,000-acre Evans Notch Ranger District of the White Mountain National Forest: Water and Soil Resource Improvement, two acres; Timber Offered, 24,272 MMBF, with 55 active sales; Silvicultural Examina-tions and Prescriptions, 5,282 acres; Reforestation, 99 acres; Timber Stand Improvement, 160 acres; Property Boundary Loca-tion, 6.8 miles; Wildlife Habitat Improvement, 425 acres; Youth Adult Conservation Corps, nine enrollees; Youth Conservation Corps, 10 enrollees; Cooperative Law Enforcement, one agreement with the Oxford County Sheriff's Dept.; Water Resources Monitor-ing, six stations; Cultural Resource Inventories, 7,291 acres; Senior Community Service Employment Program; six enrollees (five men and one woman); Free Use Per-mits for Home Fuelwood, 107 (214 cords); Three overlooks, five campgrounds, one picnic area, and one boating area were maintained; Forest Fire Suppression, no fires; Search and Rescue, two cases; Recreation Uses, Evergreen Valley Ski Resort and the Brickett Place for the Boy Scouts of America.

If you have any questions or comments please contact us.
Mary Paine
Business Manager Assistant

WEST BETHEL

Children's Center

Rainy weather has not dampened the spirits of the children at the Center as they have been engag-ing in lots of exciting activities. They are painting colorful pictures at the large easel, making their own wallpaper pictures, drawing huge group pictures with markers, making their own good food pic-tures with construction paper, learning how to dress for the weather with felt children at the flanel board, and enjoying new books, thanks to Mike and Linda Gilbert.

Last week the children learned how to take good care of them-selves as many activities were geared toward staying healthy. Dr. Williams from Bethel Area Health Center shared the tools of her trade from her big black bag with children. She also talked with them about do's and don'ts of be-ing healthy. Her visit was enjoyed by all. Tracy Mason from Dr. Mason's Dental Office also visited the Center and showed the chil-dren proper brushing techniques and talked with them about good and bad foods for teeth. Tracy gave the children all new tooth-brushes. This too was an educa-tional and enjoyable visit for chil-dren and adults! A special thank you to both Dr. Williams and Tracy Mason for making Health Week a success.

★Star of the Week is smiling four year old Lisa Haines of East Bethel.
Thank you to the Bethel Sav-ings Bank for letting the parent group hold their food sale at the Bank. The sale made \$97.35 for the parent group to go towards de-fraying the cost of utilities at the center.

Children, staff, and parents feel very good about the new play-ground equipment built by Al Saunders. They now have a beau-tiful suspension bridge, wood play climb house, two balance beams, a great looking sand box and more equipment is in the works. All are welcome to come take a peek!

COLD WATER BROOK ROAD

NORWAY

Wilma Pierce, Cor.

Geraldine and Beth DeShon were in Lewiston Monday to visit the dentist.

Eugene Deshon was one of the lucky hunters Saturday, getting a large doe.

Norie Harrington has been con-fined to her bed with a back back.

Guests and callers at Pierces have been: Myron Pierce, Blanch Bean, West Paris; Maxine Roak, Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Frank-lin Pierce, Peter Wilson of Port-land, Marilyn Osborne.

Callers at DeShons: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hussey and two girls, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Payne and daughter, Maxine Roak, Marilyn Osborne and Maureen Dean.

THANK YOU

The Andover Girl Scout Troops would like to thank all who patron-ized and assisted at their very successful spaghetti supper on Sat-urday, Nov. 14.

M. S. A. D. #44

Superintendent's Newsletter

Dr. Wayne F. Gersen

At their meeting on Monday, Nov. 16, the Board of Directors of S.A.D. 44 voted unanimously to develop a design proposal for the construction of an 8-room elemen-tary school in Woodstock, and, if funds are available, an addition to Crescent Park School, Bethel, and to bring this design proposal be-fore the voters of S.A.D. 44. This vote initiates a process which will ultimately result in a public re-fendum on whether or not the school district should spend up to \$99,800 to replace the Woodstock Elementary School and the Ethel Bisbee Elementary School.

The following is a timeline for the building project from this point forward:

Mid-November—Placement of an advertisement for an architectu-ral/engineering firm to develop the design proposals described above.

Dec. 14—Deadline for the re-sponse from the architectural/en-gineering firms who are interested in developing the design proposal described above.

Before Christmas—Selection of at least three architectural/en-gineering firms for the final inter-view.

Late January/Early February—Final interviews for the selection of an architect. The Buildings and Grounds Committee of S.A.D. 44 will conduct on-site tours of school buildings that have been recently completed by the finalist architectural firms. These on-site visits will include interviews with faculty members at the new buildings, maintenance personnel at the new buildings, district ad-ministrators, and if possible, mem-bers of the Board of Directors in the school district.—Public hear-ings in S.A.D. 44 with a straw vote being taken to determine the desirability of the project proposal.

Mid-February—Final selection of the architectural/engineering firm by the Board of Directors of S.A.D. 44.

Mid-February thru Mid-April—The architect, in conjunction with the Board of Directors and the administration of S.A.D. 44 will complete the education specifica-tions for submission to the State Department of Educational and Cultural Services; identify an ap-propriate site for the Woodstock project; and develop a design concept which will be shared with the appropriate state agencies, with the general public in S.A.D. 44, and the board of Directors of S.A.D. 44.

Early March—The Division of Facilities will indicate the probab-ility of S.A.D. 44 receiving state funds for the replacement of the Ethel Bisbee Elementary School. If state funding is likely, work will begin at once on educational spec-ifications and a concept design for the addition to Crescent Park School.

Late April/Early May—Second public hearing in S.A.D. 44 with a straw vote to determine the pub-lic response to the concept de-sign(s) developed by the Board of Directors with the assistance of the architect. This hearing will be widely advertised through all av-ailable media, and all information that is to be made available to the State Board of Education at the concept approval level in July will be presented to the public at this hearing.

Late May/Early June—Submis-sion of the concept design to the State Board of Education.

July 14—A vote by the State Board of Education to indicate if state funding will be approved for the project(s) submitted by S.A.D. 44.

Summer/Early Fall—A public referendum regarding the approval for the funding at the local level for the building project, endorsed by the State Board of Education.

As the timeline above indicates, the vote taken at the Board of Directors meeting Monday even-ing in no way commits the public to the expenditure of large sums of money for building projects in S.A.D. 44. Rather, the Board of Directors have indicated to the public that, based on the infor-mation presented to them that, in the long run, the decision to re-place the Woodstock Elementary School and the Ethel Bisbee School with new, energy efficient build-ings is a sound business decision for the school district to make. In the next eight to 10 months, the general public will have several opportunities to react to the build-ing project proposals being devel-oped by the Board of Directors of S.A.D. 44. First, the public will be asked to vote prior to the Board's selection of an Architec-ture firm. Secondly, the public will vote on the concept design prior to its submission to the State Board of Education. Finally, a re-

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Alice Harvey, Corres.

Helen Russell and Beverly Cam-eron were in Littleton and Fran-conia Notch on Tuesday.

Schools were closed on Wednes-day in observance of Veterans Day. Several of the children had lunch with the ladies at the hall.

There were many hunters in the area for the first week of hunt-ing season.

Word has been received from Bea Harris in Florida, that all is A-O-K. there and that she's back in the swing of things.

The Firemen's Supper held on Saturday evening was well attend-ed.

A Grange meeting was held Sat-urday night with a very good at-tendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Jutt Clahosey, Rumford, Mr. and Mrs. Woody Mercler, Rumford Center, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooper, Berlin, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Roaul Gagnon and daughter, of Milan, visited the Glovers, Sunday afternoon.

ferendum will be conducted before local funds are raised for the completion of the building project(s).

At this point, the initial local costs of the construction projects are projected at \$55,000 to \$99,800. If the Woodstock project alone is pursued, the initial cost to the district would be \$55,000 or 5% of the projected construction costs for a school in Woodstock. If both the addition to Crescent Park and the new Woodstock School are pur-sued, the district would have to raise \$99,800 or one mill of the district valuation, which is the legal limit that the district must raise initially on a construction project.

In the past 14 months, the Board of Directors has received a wealth of information regarding the possible savings that could be realized as a result of the improvement of the elementary schools in S.A.D. 44. Through the Superintendent's Newsletter, through occasional let-ters sent to the selectmen of the towns of S.A.D. #44, and through a series of public presentations and hearing conducted at the vari-ous elementary schools in S.A.D. 44, the public has been kept as fully informed as possible with re-gard to the building projects. Now that the Board has decided to pro-ceed with the development of a design proposal for the construc-tion of an elementary school in Woodstock, and, if funds are av-ailable, an addition to the Crescent Park School, there will, undoubt-edly, be more questions raised re-garding the building proposal in S.A.D. 44. If you have any ques-tions on the building proposals, ask the Director who represents your town, for the Directors will be glad to share the information that they have regarding the various alternatives that have been explor-ed prior to the action taken on Monday night. I would also wel-come an opportunity to answer in-dividual questions, or to give pre-sentations to any civic groups who might be interested in learning more about the building program in S.A.D. 44. As outlined in earlier newsletters, the decision to pro-ceed with the building proposals is clearly in the best interest of the taxpayers and students of S.A.D. 44 in the long run. In the future, if we are to spend our money on education instead of fuel oil, we must invest now to save the need-less expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars in fuel oil in the years to come.

Those seated at the birthday ta-ble were: Frances Bennett, Elva Buckman, Adeline Dexter, Elsie Imman, Elizabeth Lord, Mansfield Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pugliese, Herbert Rowe, Richard and Hulda Stevens, Verna Swan and Ethel Ward. The cake was furn-ished by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ben-net, Cora Bennett and Ruth De-nor. It was made by Leona Flint.

Members had been previously asked to bring toilet articles for the supply closet at Togus. The response was most gratifying.

The next meeting and Christmas party will be held on Dec. 9 at the I.O.O.F. Hall. Each member is to bring a gift for the tree. The men are asked to bring a gift for a man marked "man" and the women, a gift marked "woman". The meeting was adjourned.

Ronald Stevens offered a bless-ing and a turkey dinner was serv-ed.

A delightful musical program was presented by the Norway-South Paris Senior Citizen Band under the direction of Sara Mc-Intosh. This is a very talented group and their songs and skits were thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Oxford Bear Lodge No. 54, Cabot Lodge No. 117, East Andover Community Club, Pythian Sisters of Hanover, and all the people who helped make the supper given for my benefit such a huge success.

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NOVEMBER MEETING OF BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS HELD WEDNESDAY, NOV. 11

The Bethel Senior Citizens met on Nov. 11 at the I.O.O.F. Hall for their regular monthly meet-ing with 104 members and guests present. Maude Danforth had charge of the registration book.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Muriel Faudi. A special welcome was extended to Gertrude Bhefner, Arlene Gun-ther, Angelo Onofrio, Harold and Eunice Powell, Isabel Roberts, Mabel Robertson, William Von Zintl and the Norway-South Paris Senior Citizen Band. Devotions were led by Edna York followed by the flag salute and one verse of "America" sung by the group. The secretary read the poem, "What Did You See, Soldier?" be-fore giving her report. Both sec-retary's and treasurer's reports were accepted.

Floribel Haines announced that seven get-well and four sympathy cards had been sent.

Joan Coolidge reminded the group of the forthcoming trip to Florida which starts March 1. Re-servations should be made as soon as possible and a fee of \$25 paid by Dec. 20.

The committee to prepare Christmas baskets for shut-ins is: Floribel Haines, chairman; Agnes Haines, Leona Lurvey, Iva Hutch-inson and Barbara Wheeler. Each member is asked to bring either fruit or canned goods for these baskets at the next meeting.

A slate of officers for 1982 will be presented at the next meeting by the nominating committee, Sa-nah Stevens, Elizabeth Lord and Gladys Cross.

Dawn Gaffka and Emma Will-man, from the Red Cross, announ-ced that the Bloodmobile will be at the Gould Academy Gym on Nov. 23. They are planning to con-tact the residents to find those who are willing and able to donate a pint of blood. Those assisting in this worthwhile cause are: Gladys Cross, Alberta Croteau, Phyllis Dock, Olive Head, Evelyn Reed, Mary Shaw, Barbara Wheeler, and Edna York.

Those seated at the birthday ta-ble were: Frances Bennett, Elva Buckman, Adeline Dexter, Elsie Imman, Elizabeth Lord, Mansfield Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pugliese, Herbert Rowe, Richard and Hulda Stevens, Verna Swan and Ethel Ward. The cake was furn-ished by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ben-net, Cora Bennett and Ruth De-nor. It was made by Leona Flint.

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The next meeting and Christmas party will be held on Dec. 9 at the I.O.O.F. Hall. Each member is to bring a gift for the tree. The men are asked to bring a gift for a man marked "man" and the women, a gift marked "woman". The meeting was adjourned.

Ronald Stevens offered a bless-ing and a turkey dinner was serv-ed.

A delightful musical program was presented by the Norway-South Paris Senior Citizen Band under the direction of Sara Mc-Intosh. This is a very talented group and their songs and skits were thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Oxford Bear Lodge No. 54, Cabot Lodge No. 117, East Andover Community Club, Pythian Sisters of Hanover, and all the people who helped make the supper given for my benefit such a huge success.

Howard Glover

Songo Pond

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.

Carleton Rugg is a patient at the Central Maine Medical Cen-ter in Lewiston. He was trans-ferred there Tuesday from Ste-phens Memorial Hospital, Norway, where he was taken following an automobile accident early Sunday evening. He will undergo facial sur-gery later this week. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimball and grand-son, Chris, were in Lewiston Tues-day with their son and father.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bean of Otisfield are the proud parents of their second son, Little Jona-than Kimball Bean arrived early Friday morning, Nov. 13, weigh-ing in at 7 lbs. 14 oz. His sisters and brother, Sarah, Amber and David, are also highly elated. Norma and I visited the little guy and mother at the Norway hos-pital Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Eleanor Parsons returned home Saturday from the Maine Medical Center, Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Barker and two children of South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fox of Mon-mouth were callers of the Jimmy Kimballs during the week end.

Recent callers of the Jack Par-sons were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball were in Rumford Tuesday for his medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Grenier were in Norway Tuesday for their me-dical check-ups.

Mrs. Alice Kimball, Kass and Norma Salway were in Portland Tuesday afternoon for medical ap-pointments.

Mrs. Joan Coolidge spent the afternoon with me on Friday.

"A few people get up bright and early; most of us just get up early."—Pastoret

WEBELOS—DEN 4—PACK 566

We held our first Den meet-ing Monday, Nov. 9, at the Bethel United Methodist Church after school until 3:45 p. m. Cindy Blake is our leader, she spoke to us about being a Webelos Scout and what was ahead for the year. We worked on our athletic activity badge by having an arm wrestling contest, doing sit-ups, push-ups, and standing long jumps. Sandy Wheeler and Fay Corrin assisted.

The new Webelos this year are: Aaron Bean, Steve Molain, La-ren Corrin, Thad Wheeler, and Jam-ie Bedard. There will be a meet-ing every Monday after school un-til 3:45 p. m. at the Methodist Church.

Our second meeting was held Nov. 16. We did exercises and duel contests as part of our work on our athletic activity badge. Steve McLain was absent. Fay Corrin assisted. We had refresh-ments and talked of plans for next week's Den and Pack meetings. —Denner, Jamie Bedard.

CUB SCOUT PACK 566 NEWS

There will be a hike for ALL Cub Scouts on Sunday, Nov. 22. Meet at the Bulldog Diner Parking Lot at 10 a. m. with proper hiking clothing and footwear. There will be hot dogs and hot chocolate at Don Feeney's around noon and ev-eryone should be back to the Bul-dog Diner by 1 p. m. If you have a brother or sister who wants to come, along with a parent, bring them. The hike is Sunday due to hunting season on Saturday.

CUB SCOUTS

Den 2: held its first meeting of the year. We made and decorated bird feeders out of milk jugs. —Denner, Danny Kuzyk.

Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres.

Barbara and Howard Imman and Nita Imman, Terry and Frank Howard, Mike, June and Michelle Imman, Cathy, Andy and Jason Imman, all went out to eat Satur-day, Nov. 7, to celebrate Terry Howard's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McAllister called on his parents on Nov. 4. They are Albert and Elma Mc-Allister.

On Nov. 8, Rodney McAllister had dinner with Albert and Elma McAllister then they called on El-na's mother, Elta Ring, who is a patient at North-um Cumberland Memorial Hospital in Bridgton. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McAllister and children and Alberta and Joan White.

Sarah Andrews went to Lewiston with Mr. and Mrs. George Allen on Nov. 3.

Monday, Sarah and her sister, Blanche Button called on their sis-ter, Bertha Kimball.

Roger and Yvette Barton and children and Frank Barton were at the Barton Farm on Saturday. The men folks all went hunting.

Al Weymouth, Ivy Philbrook and Barb Imman were callers last week at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns.

Callers at the Wardwell Farm last week were Helen and Lin-wood Ring, Edith Hathaway, Deb-bie Millett, Jeff Hooker, Ruth Dunham and Bessie House, also Christine Kimball.

All is well at K-D's Acres. An-other busy week has ended and this week seems about as busy.

Monday Margaret and I finish-ed canning her beets and carrots. Tuesday there was a church Circle meeting at Barb Imman's. Wednes-day Margaret Barton and I can-ned carrots for me. Friday, I had dinner with my folks in Bryant Pond and did my shopping in Norway.

Friday, T/Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Fairbrother and children from Pease Air Force Base, New Hampshire, came for the week end.

We hunted about all day Satur-day Sunday, Dick and I and Doug called on the Gus McAllisters in North Waterford.

Time to be making preparations for Thanksgiving then shortly af-ter that it will be Christmas. How time flies!

West Greenwood

Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Marc and Leslie Moore and fam-ily visited Russ and Judy An-drews in Shelburne, Sunday.

Edith Deegan, Westbrook, spent a couple of days visiting Irene Wil-son. Ruth Wilkinson visited her on Sunday.

Ms. Cathy Harrington and friend, Portland, visited Maude Harrington recently.

Since Robbie Harrington had to return to his base, Fort Hood, Tex., Ray and Janice Harrington and family had an early Thank-s-giving dinner so he could be with them.

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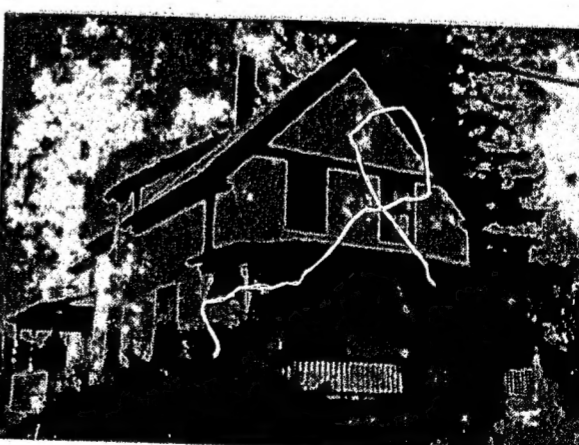
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MOTORISTS URGED TO BE EXTRA RESPONSIBLE ON THANKSGIVING WEEK END

Motorists are urged by the state police to be extra responsible during the forthcoming holiday week end.

"Throughout the Thanksgiving week end period, Troopers will be especially alert for drinking motorists who can spoil the holiday happiness for all of us," said Colonel Allan H. Weeks, chief of the Maine State Police.

Motorists are advised to remember if they are not in condition to drive to let someone else drive or take them home.

"On any trip—however long or short—it's important also for motorists to allow for possible snow weather, icy roads and other driver's mistakes," the state police chief said.

With increased traffic, possible inclement weather and people who may (but should not) drink and drive during the Thanksgiving holiday period, Col. Weeks asks motorists to use extra caution and common sense when driving so they—and those with whom they share the road—will have an accident free holiday.

CHRISTMAS TEA AND FAIR AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH SATURDAY, DEC. 5

The Congregational Church of Bethel will sponsor its annual Christmas Tea and Fair at the Church on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 5, from 1 to 4 p. m.

The fair will have tables featuring Attic Treasures, Candy, Christmas decorations, Crafts, Food, Greens and Wreaths. The Youth Fellowship will be in charge of one very special table and a Cookie Walk will provide a host of cookies of one's choice.

VETERANS' NIGHT OBSERVED BY MUNDT-ALLEN POST/UNIT

Veterans' Night was observed Nov. 10 by Mundt-Allen Post and Unit #81, with a supper attended by other 75 members and guests. Sherry Barr, Bethel, member of Unit 66, provided entertainment following dinner.

Awards were presented to essay contest winners, Kevin Davis, grade 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Davis; Nathan Bean, grade 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Bean; and Carl Colby, grade 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colby. Also honored were the Girls State and Boys State delegates, Tara Tracy, Andover; Lisa Pelzel, Rocky Myers and Tim Kersey, all of Bethel. Also present were Warren Bouchard, Principal, and Lindley Wieden, Guidance Director, Telstar Regional High School. Speakers included Mrs. Shirley Williams, Girls State Director; Mrs. Ruth Jucius, Assistant Girls State Director; and Vito DeFilipp, Boys State Coordinator.

Others present were American Legion Auxiliary officers, who spoke briefly, including Dept. Chaplain, Nancy Higgins; Dept. Historian, Jeri Brooks; Dept. Junior Representative, Susan Higgins; 2nd District President, Jonnie Wing; Past Dept. President, Fanning Cummings; Dept. Americanism Chairman, Carolyn Barr; Dept. Field Service, Barbara Roach; Dept. 3rd Member Emergency Fund, Dorothy Kazimer; District Chaplain, Sandra Martin; District Sgt.-at-Arms, Kay Barker, and Oxford County President, Anita LeMay.

American Legion Department and District Officers also recognized were, Dept. Vice Commander, Ed Roach; Dept. Vice Commander, Frank Donley; Dept. Americanism Chairman, Max Pinkham; 2nd District Commander, Carl Heath; County Commander, John Kezal, and Past County Commanders.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

The hunters supper held at the Grange Hall Saturday night was well attended. Members of the Chapel Aid wish to thank all who helped serve, donated food, or in any way made it a big success.

Youth Fellowship for those in grades 5 through 12 will meet in the Church Vestry on Thursday at 5:30 p. m. There will be no meeting next week (Thanksgiving Day).

Greens sale sponsored by the Chapel Aid will be held Saturday, Dec. 5, at the church, 2 to 4 o'clock. Wreaths and Christmas decorations will be sold. Also a table with knit goods. Youth Fellowship will sponsor a food table. Donations will be greatly appreciated.

Ladies of the Chapel Aid have been asked to serve refreshments at the wedding reception of Miss Cathy Littlefield and Leonard Hoy at Mt. Abram Ski Lodge, Locke Mills, on Saturday, Nov. 21.

The Ladies Chapel Aid met at the home of Mary Newton Wednesday night. A report of the Christ-

SEN. WILLIAM COHEN From Washington

If futurist Herman Kahn is correct and our promotional efforts abroad are successful, Maine's highway signs bidding "Bienvenue" to Canadian tourists may be joined by similar greeting in Spanish, German and even Japanese by the turn of the century.

Kahn predicts that tourism will become the world's largest industry by the year 2000. Clearly, it's an area deserving of all possible state and national promotion efforts. Few other federal programs for example, can boast of a nine-dollar rate of return for every dollar spent, as can tourism.

Fortunately for the U. S. and Maine, Congress has shown support for tourism at a time when many federal programs are undergoing critical administrative review. President Reagan has just signed into law a bill establishing the U. S. Travel and Tourism Administration within the Department of Commerce, the first piece of tourism legislation in 20 years. This new agency will replace the U. S. Travel Service, which has been the national tourist office since 1961.

The U. S. Travel and Tourism Administration will create an environment for improving our opportunities for an increase in inbound tourism. It may come as a surprise to many that the U. S. lags behind 126 countries in annual spending for tourism promotion and currently captures a much smaller share of the world tourist trade than most of its neighbors abroad.

Although its attractions rival those of any state in the nation, Maine finds itself in a similar position, with little state money to spend promoting itself. Fortunately, however, our tourist industry is thriving, according to Peter Damberg, director of the Maine Publicity Bureau.

"Our budget is probably one of the lowest in the country," he noted. "We are currently getting \$300,000 from the legislature, to be matched by equal funds from the private sector, and a lot of that goes to fund our various information centers around the state."

Damberg pointed out that, by comparison, Vermont spends \$1.3 million annually to promote tourism and our Canadian neighbor, Nova Scotia, spends \$5.3 million a year.

But because of a steadily expanding network of contacts in Europe and other parts of the world, the number of foreign tourists visiting Maine, as well as tourism in general, is growing substantially. Tourism is now a \$1 billion-a-year industry, second only to manufacturing in its contribution to Maine's economy.

"Over the past three years, we've had several foreign travel agents and brokers over here on 'familiarization tours,' and they're very impressed—not just with the scenery, but with our comparatively low rates for hotels, food and merchandise," Damberg said. Maine hospitality is clearly paying off, as brokers spread the word in their individual countries that Maine is an ideal vacation haven.

If nothing more, the bill—which establishes a Tourism Policy Council comprised of representatives from various federal departments—will provide for better coordination of policies, issues and programs on the national level that currently affect tourism.

Maine's beauty and majesty speaks for itself, but this decision by the government to place a higher priority on promotion of tourism will help many Maine people whose livelihood depends on its being discovered by out-of-state visitors.

"PARSONAGE WARNING"

Members and friends of West Parish Congregational Church held a "parsonage warning" on Wednesday, Nov. 11, by cutting, splitting, and stacking 10 cords of firewood to fuel the wood stove that was recently installed in the parsonage fireplace. Those participating in the activity were Ted, Todd and Allison Davis, Marvin, Tina and Robbie Ovinga, Peter Weeks, Don Bennett, Stan Lord, Steve, Peggy, Keith, Eric and Sara Wight, Marcia, Dave, and Julie DeHoson, John Gauthier, Brendon, Jean, Analise, and Caitlin Bass, Lena Christensen, Todd and Bryan Kellogg, and Tania Chadbourne.

12th ANNUAL UMO CRAFTS FAIR

The 12th Annual Crafts Fair will be held at the University of Maine at Orono Dec. 5 and 6 from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. in the Memorial Union Building. Approximately 50 craftsmen from throughout the state, including several UMO students, will be making items, as well as displaying them for the general public. Among the items, which will be available for purchase, are pottery, knit woolens, jewelry, hand weaving, pewterware and wooden toys.

WALKING WITH JESUS CHRIST

Christianity is more than a way—it's not a bill board—Church festival—holidays, nor from birth to death—it is forever—from before the world was formed. It recognizes pain—sadness and happiness, the whole spectrum of life—even as we read in Isaiah 22:13—"let us eat and drink for tomorrow we die."

When God formed man there was no intention of sadness and pain—it was to be a happy life with no knowledge of "let us eat, drink and be merry" Luke 12:19. There was to be no need of artificial merry making. The words of merriment are used by King Solomon in Ecclesiastes—for example:—10:19—"—but money is the answer to everything"—and frankly, it's an easy way out—just as drugs, immoral sex, alcohol so plainly advertised and pushed onto us today. Don't be fooled—in each Biblical usage of such merry making and money wrongfully used—we see they relate, in sequence:—"to the destruction of Jerusalem," to the rich man who wanted to add to his wealth; but—"This very night your life will be demanded from you,"—and King Solomon's description of misdeeds terminated with "—here is the conclusion of the matter, Fear the Lord and keep his commandments."

Artificial stimulants are a flip-flop. First you flip and then flop—that's for real! A parallel here—baby's first step is the beginning of walking—taking the first drink—bear, wine, etc.—is the beginning of a foolish way—as with illegal drugs—the first leads to more and then "caught"—flop!

"Like a golden ring in a pig's snout is a beautiful woman who shows no discretion." Proverbs 11:22.

"Where there's life, there's bud"—is nonsense—Proverbs 20:1—"Wine is a mocker and beer a brawler, whoever is led astray by them is not wise." People—especially youngsters—don't be fooled by T.V.—silly magazines—etc.—look for truth, honesty—for wisdom as the Bible says, "Wisdom is too high for fool—know also that wisdom is sweet to your soul; and if you find it, there is a future for you." Proverbs 27:14.

Living today is preparing a life for tomorrow—and Jesus Christ is the way. —Fred Werner (Bible quotations from New International Version.)

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICE IN BERLIN, N. H.

Thanksgiving Day services will be held in The Mother Church and in all Branch Churches throughout America on Nov. 28.

In First Church of Christ, Scientist, Berlin, N. H., the service will be held at 11 a. m. in the church edifice, corner of Main and Tenth Streets. Readings from the King James version of the Bible and from the denominational textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy will highlight the service. Hymns of gratitude and praise will be sung. An organ solo, "Andante Cantabile" by Peter Tschalkowsky will be presented by David Dennett Thompson.

The Golden Text is from Colossians 3:17: "and whatsoever ye do in word and deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father through him."

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Washington Watch

by Olympia J. Snowe
Member of Congress
2nd District, Maine

In many ways, the government bureaucracy in Washington and throughout the country resembles the mythological monster known as the Hydra.

The Hydra, as legend has it, was a many-headed monster that grew two new heads whenever an old one was severed. Obviously, killing such an animal would pose a problem, and the task was given to a prolific problem-solver, Hercules.

To get to the point, Hercules and a helper, Iolas, thwarted the Hydra by getting to the root of the problem. As they cut off a head of the Hydra, they simultaneously cauterized the body with fire to prevent new heads from emerging. And in attacking the hydra of big government, Congress needs to take a similar track. It needs to continue its battle against government expansion, but it also needs to mount a Herculean attack to the body by initiating a comprehensive, multi-year oversight of the multi-headed monster that Congress has wrought.

Last week I introduced legislation to accomplish that job. The bill would direct Congress over an eight-year period to examine all major agency programs and regulations and then to decide whether to continue, modify or terminate the program or regulation.

I can't claim that the idea behind this bill is new, but I believe that my bill has a greater chance of effectively dealing with the problem than other measures the Congress has considered. Under the bill, agencies would prepare program-review reports containing information on budget outlays, cost effectiveness, number and types of persons benefited, regulatory impacts, paperwork requirements, duplicity, alternative methods of implementation and recommended changes. Public hearings would be held across the country to solicit comments and offset agency bias in the reports.

Following a review period in Congressional committees, the programs then would be certified or changed by the entire Congress. Committees would be required to take action on the agency's program, not ignore it. And the program is spread over eight years to enable Congress to focus on one issue at a time (i. e., defense, energy and environment, fiscal issues, health and education, etc.).

With a concentrated effort, Congress can slay the multi-headed monster. I am hoping for quick action on the proposal so that we can get to work.

Libyan Terrorism: In recent weeks, a reprehensible saga of American involvement in Libyan terrorist activities has unfolded in the nation's news media.

The reports include charges of illegal arms sales to Libya by former CIA agents, recruitment of former Green Berets for training Libyan terrorists and servicing Libyan Air Force planes by Americans. These and other activities, which perhaps technically not violations of U. S. laws, constitute disgusting support of the regime of a lunatic and a madman, Col. Qaddafi, whose principles run counter to accepted norms of humanity and decency.

Accordingly, I have requested House Foreign Affairs Committee Chairman Rep. Clement Zablocki (D-Wis.) to conduct hearings as soon as possible on the Libyan situation. At the very least the hearings should identify methods to prevent American involvement in Libya in the future.

Revenue Sharing Needed: I recently co-sponsored legislation in the House to express the sense of the Congress that the general revenue-sharing program be continued at approved funding levels.

Revenue sharing has proved to be one of the major success stories to emerge from Congress in recent years. Costs to the federal government to administer the program are minuscule. Autonomy is returned to the states and localities. The program is cost-effective and efficient.

The resolution takes into account the fact that many local governments already have planned their budgets based on continuing revenue-sharing funds, and to cut back now would place a tremendous burden on the governments. The program should be spared of further cuts this year.

Donald Brown is recuperating from a broken bone in his ankle suffered last Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders have returned from a visit with his sister and family, Rev. and Mrs. Burton Linscott, Honolulu, Hawaii.

CHURCH SERVICES

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213
Organist, Mrs. Susan Glines
Administrative Board Chairman, Richard L. Davis
Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. Shirley Powell

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study
the church.

Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.
UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Brendan Bass
Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School for Pre-School through Adults.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.
First and third Sunday, 7-8:30 p. m. Confirmation Class for 9th through 12th grades.
Wednesday, 5:30-7:00 p. m. Youth Fellowship, grades 6-12.
Thursday, 7:30-9:00 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

Our Lady of the Snows
Rt. 26 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.
Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during Church Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Evening Service, 6 p. m.
Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study. Tuesday, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2850. Babysitting.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
Rev. Barry Beverage

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.
Evening Worship, 6 p. m.

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m.
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 836-2925
Home 583-4488

Parish Day Thursday
Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist
Mrs. Nedra Kimball, Custodian
Choir Rehearsal, 9 a. m., Sunday.

Morning worship, 9:30 a. m.
Nursery provided for pre-school children.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Supper Club, third Sunday, 6:00 p. m.
Youth Fellowship, Thursdays, 5:30 p. m.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Planist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Ages 3 through adult.

Morning worship, 10 a. m. Baby-sitting for children through age 5.
Tuesday: choir practice, 6 p. m.
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p. m.

Thursday: Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a. m. Babysitting provided.

Locke Mills Union Church
Interim Pastor

Rev. Willard Bickett
Church Services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.
Youth Group, Thursday, 7 p. m.

HIGH SCHOOL SPEECH FESTIVAL AT U. OF M.-ORONO SATURDAY, DEC. 5

Quality of performance will be emphasized Saturday, Dec. 5, at the 79th annual Maine High School Speech Festival at the University of Maine at Orono Memorial Union.

The festival is held annually as an opportunity for Maine high school students to perform and to observe the performances of students from other schools. This year's festival is held earlier than previous years to give students a chance to try out new and perhaps experimental material or for inexperienced students to try speech activities in a less competitive environment.

The events which will be part of the festival are extemporaneous and persuasive speaking, interpretation of drama, prose and poetry, ensemble interpretation and storytelling, an event introduced two years ago. Two students from a school may be entered in each event, and a student may be entered in only two events. Only one entry in ensemble interpretation is accepted from a school.

Students are rated qualitatively rather than competitively and each participant will receive an appropriate certificate. When a student receives a superior rating a medal is awarded for the event, and a trophy is awarded in ensemble

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church

Rumford, Maine
A Celebration of the Holy Eucharist, The Rev. Jacqueline R. Merrill, 824-3169. 4:30 p. m. the second and fourth Sunday of the month at the West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel, Maine.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson
Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
6:00 p. m. Evening Service.

Tuesday—Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
Thursday—Awana Clubs: K-Gr. 2, 2:30-4:00 p. m.; Gr. 3-Gr. 8, 6:00-8:00 p. m.

Newry Community Church

Bodney Hanson, Pastor
Robert Duran, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00
Thursday, 7 p. m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's.

Assembly of God—Upton
Rev. Andy Torbett
Sunday, 2 p. m., Worship Service.
Sunday School, 2 p. m., in Ladies' Aid Building. Teacher, Brian Rasmussen.

Prayer meeting, 7 p. m., Wed. Ladies' Bible Study, 9:30 a. m. Tues., home of Yvonne Vines.

Rumford Area Bible Speaks

Rumford Corner
Pastor Bob Colby
Sunday, 10:00 a. m. Worship Service and Sunday School. 6:30 p. m. Youth Group.

Thursday: 10 a. m. God's Complete Women Study, Eleanor Brooks', Main St., Bethel.
Friday: 7:30 p. m. Service.
Sunday: 8:00 p. m. WRUM-FM 94 "Telephone Time."

Monday-Thursday evenings, 8 p. m.: Videotape Bible School, 822 Prospect Ave., Rumford. Call 360-8373.

For information or counseling call 364-4573.

First Congregational Church of Christ

Rev. Norman Rust, Interim Pastor
Organist, Mrs. Linda Burnham
Choir Director, Mrs. Lea Myshrahl
Sunday School Supr., Mrs. Trudy Akers

Sunday:
11 a. m. Sunday Service.
11 a. m. Sunday School.
Thursday, 7:30 p. m. 6:30 p. m.; Senior Choir, 7:30 p. m. Ladies Aide—Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover

Planist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
Sunday School Superintendent: Marjorie Stinson

Worship Service, 10:45.
Sunday School, 9:30.
Youth Group, 5:30.

Prayer and Praise, Wednesday at 7:30 at the church.
Choir rehearsal, Wednesdays at 6:30.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Nov. 22: Subject—Soul and Body. Golden Text—Psalms 42:11: Why art thou cast down, O my soul, and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St. Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

Albany Congregational Church
Rev. B. F. Wentworth
3 p. m. Worship Service, Oct. 25 through Dec. 20.

East Stoneham Congregational Church

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SENIOR CITIZEN'S MENU

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Tuesday, Nov. 24: Thanksgiving Dinner—Cranberry Juice, roast turkey w/gravy, stuffing, mashed potatoes, squash, pumpkin squares.

Interpretation for a superior rating. Registrations are accepted until Monday, Nov. 30, in the department of speech communication, 345 Stevens Hall, UMO, 04460.

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Northwest Bethel

Clarice Gibson, Corres.

Veterans Day started out slippery and understand quite a few vehicles had slewing accidents.

Friday, Nov. 13, was one of those fall days we can all enjoy. It was warm enough so one could wear a sweater. Saturday too was a lovely day. We had ordered a forward quarter of beef from my aunt and uncle, Bertha and Meritt Kimball, South Waterford.

Aunt Bertha called to say that it would be ready soon after 10. While Frank and George went hunting I rode over to get the beef and also down memory lane. First going by Songe the camps, trees, blue skies and fluffy clouds were all mirrored in the surface of the lake. Next heading towards North Waterford the first thing one can see is the church steeple.

Here I started in Sunday School and the first four boys (Ira was too young when we moved). Going up the hill I went by the Old Rowleigh Inn, which Frank and I lived in at the time the three youngest were born and also where Grammie Hersey lived when we moved in. The first house beyond the common is where I used to go visit my great-grandfather Hersey and his second wife. (I was to never call her Grammie). Right above was the house Grammie and Grampa lived in until Grammie got so she couldn't climb the stairs into the house and moved down to the Inn. Grammie and Grampa's was my second home as Aunt Bertha was nearer my age than any of her sisters. The next house has burned since they lived there so the third house up now is where I was born and lived until I was six. (Joan Thurston and family live across from it now, but at the time Dad's cousin and wife lived there.) Continuing I passed the school where my four boys started. Also in North Waterford itself I went by the school (now post office) where I started school. When I got to Auntie's I could look across to the house we lived in when I was a senior at Bridgton Academy. (We had to move out soon after as the one who owned it returned from the Navy.) Aunt Bertha was making doughnuts so we had coffee and doughnuts right out of the fat. Two of my cousins I seldom see, Annette Bennett and young Merritt were also there. Then I went to my folks' house and my brother, Danny and nephew, Jacob, drove in. Even though this is a short ride I seldom go that way as I drive up over Hunt's Corner to get to Norway.

Sunday we were pleased to have Frank's sister and husband, Bob and Eddie Pevear and Grammie Gibson come in delivering their Christmas presents. Sunday was cloudy but still warm. Quite a week end. Now have to finish taking care of my beef. I corned quite a lot of it Sunday.

Nov. 11, Alden MacDougall's cousin of Rumford, Michael Morrison, stopped in for a visit.

Bill Williams' sister, Alice Sauter and son, Bobby, of Lisbon Falls were at her brother's for lunch, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Shaw took their twins for their first ride since coming home Saturday. They went through the notch to Conway, N. H., and had a beautiful day to go. Sunday, Becky's cousin, Andy Davis and friend, stopped into Shaws.

The Homer Smiths had their two sons, Kerry, Kingston, N. H., and Larry, North Conway, N. H., home for hunting for the week. Matthew and Mike Smith, South Paris, came Friday to spend the week end with their grandparents, and their grandson, Shawn, Fryburg, came Saturday to spend the night.

Jody Shimamura was home for the week end and went to Matamoras High School, Readfield, to a running race.

Pat Anderson and family, Elaine Hutchins, and Marjorie Conner, went Saturday evening to the Faith Bible Chapel at Rumford Point, featuring Outreach Singers, a group of nine singers from Bible Speaks Ministry, South Berwick.

Kristy Angevine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Angevine went to cheerleading clinic at Telstar Saturday. This was competition between cheerleaders of different schools.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF NOV. 23

Monday: Hot dog in home made bun, cheese slice, cabbage salad, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, frosted cake, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Wednesday: Fishburger, cheese slice, carrots and peas, mixed desserts, milk.

Thursday-Friday: Thanksgiving Recess.

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Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Verna Swan will observe her 75th birthday on Nov. 19. The family wishes to invite relatives, friends, neighbors and co-workers to a get-together in her honor at the Grange Hall on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 22, from 2:30 to 4:30.

Women's Bible Study is held each Tuesday morning at 9:30 at Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keniston's.

Awana is held each Thursday: K-Grade 2, 2:30-4:00; Grade 3 to Grade 8, 6 to 8 p. m.

Leatrice Chase and Crystal called on her mother, Mrs. Beatrice Farnum Sunday afternoon.

Many people attended the open house at Bryant Pond's new business "Frieden Dorf Pottery" on Sunday. Much success is wished them.

Mrs. Dennis J. Engel of Fowlersville, Mich., was a recent guest of Mrs. Robert McKeen and Bob McKeen, Jr. Mr. Engel is employed by Management Division Development Corporation, based at Fairfield, Ohio, and was returning from an assignment at Worthington, England. Enroute Mr. Engel visited in Belgium, Switzerland and Liechtenstein. He has been a frequent visitor at Bryant Pond.

Franklin Grange met Monday, Nov. 16, with 17 members present. The charter was draped for Lydia Whitman. Bill Riley and Ernestine Riley reported on State Grange. Resolution Committee was Ethel McKenzie, Verna Swan and Olive Davis. Committee to report on dues or fund raising, Alice Hoyt, Preston Cobb and Bill Riley. The Grange will host Pomona Grange in June. A committee to help Olive Davis on Safety Pro-

grams, Bill Riley, Richard Felt and Lettie Brooks. Program as follows: Mystery march; Song; Reason for Thanksgiving, Ethel McKenzie; Thanks Be, Olive Davis; Roll Call, "What You Are Thankful For"; Music by Grange Band; Song; Thought for the Day. The third and fourth degrees will be worked next Friday, Nov. 20 at the Oxford Grange.

Beatrice Farnum was a supper guest of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Locke Mills, last Monday.

There will be a Christmas Sale and Luncheon on Wednesday, Dec. 2 from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. by the Universalist Church of Bryant Pond at the Woodstock Town Hall. Serving on the committee are Mrs. Evelyn T. Bean, Mrs. Anne T. Crockett, Mrs. Elizabeth Knights, Mrs. Ruth Tyler and Mrs. Eva Twitchell. The theme of the sale is "Something for Everyone on Your Christmas List."

The Woodstock Extension met on Wednesday morning, Nov. 18, at Louise Verrill's with a pot luck lunch.

The Daughters of Union Veterans met at the Grange Hall for a regular meeting on Monday, Nov. 9, with 10 members present. Elena Noyes filled in as Chaplain. Six members were reported on and thank you notes were read from Althea Stevens, Alice Wardwell and the Togos Veterans Hospital. Thirty-nine calls were made. The next meeting will be Dec. 14 at Bessie House's with a Christmas party. It was voted for some to march in the Veterans Day parade at Locke Mills for Nov. 11. Nomination of officers was held. Refreshments were served by Hazel Brooks and Verna Swan.

The Willing Workers will be displaying a line of fashions at the home of Marta Clements from Nov. 21 to Nov. 30. This will be to raise money for the repairs at the Union Church building. Come and order something at your leisure. All merchandise will be back to you in time for Christmas. Come and help the Willing Workers project and yourself as well by procuring your Christmas presents or something you will enjoy wearing.

The Willing Workers served their hunters supper at the West Paris Legion Hall on Tuesday, Nov. 10. Miriam Morgan headed the committee with a lot of help from various Willing Workers. Many thanks to those who patronized the supper. The money is to go towards the church building repairs.

Taisto Koskela was taken to Norway hospital Monday night by ambulance. He is undergoing tests to determine his troubles.

Saturday, Olive Davis visited relatives in Bridgton.

Several from here took in the hunters' supper at West Paris on Tuesday night.

Many birds are coming to the feed station early this year. I have hairy and downy woodpeckers, white and red breasted nuthatches, bluejays, and evening gros-

beaks. A cardinal occasionally comes too. The birds have headed south. Of course there are a lot of chickadees around who are flitting hither and yon.

I'm trying to watch TV. Every other thing someone has to be shown swilling hard drinks. No wonder there are so many drunks on the highways. Women as well as men are imbibing. How I'd like to see an article on teetotalism for a change.

Albert Downing and Frank Knox are just about done at Olive Davis's house.

The hunters are out in full swing. They arrived at the hunters' cabins in this area for their fall vacation.

Edith Bryant and daughter, June Cushman, were in town Monday. They made calls on Arthur Farrington, Olive Davis and Eva Twitchell's family. They took dinner at Robert Farrington's trailer in Norway. Bob and Harriet moved to Norway two months ago.

Billy Kesaris, Elaine Koskela Kesaris' stepson, is visiting Mrs. Taisto Koskela. He is enjoying a few days of hunting.

Barbara Cash and Esther Davis arrived in Florida Monday night at Mr. and Mrs. Chris Nowlin's. Carol Stowell drove down and will be flying back this week.

PUBLIC NOTICE Pursuant to Title 28, MRSA 252—a notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 25, 1981, 7:00 p. m., at the Greenwood Town Hall, Locke Mills, Me., to consider a renewal Class I liquor license application from Jordan's Restaurant of Greenwood, Maine.

Diane L. Howe, Herbert E. Dunham, Norman R. Millett, Greenwood Selectmen

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Newry

— Miss Amy Hanson, Corres. —

Communion Services will be held at the Newry Community Church Sunday, Nov. 22. Title of the sermon on Nov. 15 was "All That Glitters Is Not Gold."

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, Hollis Center, were at their trailer Thursday and Friday. David Glover, Buxton, and Eric Glover, Rumford, joined their father, Saturday, for hunting.

Mrs. Vada Glover, Hollis Center, Mrs. Cheryl Glover, Benjamin and Eric, Rumford, called on Amy and Roger Hanson, Friday.

Eric Glover, Rumford, and Kurt Lowell, Buxton, are at the Glover trailer this week, hunting. Danny Bouffie, Sabattus, joined them for part of the week.

Harold Scott and three sons, Chester Township, N. J., and Dick Bird Hensley, and friend of Bernard Township, N. J., spent

the night at Mary Tripp's Saturday, on the way to Harmony, hunting.

Tom Cambio and friends, Providence, R. I., were at his camp last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Learned.

Sixteen deer and six bear have been tagged at the Local Inspection Station for the season.

Dominic Cottignoli was at his trailer here last week.

Wilbur Mobus, Bill Mobus, Jr., and Ronnie Clark, Warren, N. J., are at Mary Tripp's hunting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ridlon, Bridgton, were supper guests of Mary Tripp, Sunday.

Dick Moore and two sons, and Joe Salvato, Warren, N. J., were at the Moore camp hunting last week.

Albert Kingman and friend, New Jersey, were at the Kingman camp last week. Kingman was a lucky hunter.

North Paris — Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres. —

Mrs. Beryl Oja has returned from Stephens Memorial hospital where she was taken following a heart seizure.

Doris Lawrence and Harold Vatcher were at Norway for doctors'

B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service, Inc.)

Congratulations to Arlene Greenleaf, Mem Enright and Linda Howe for passing the advanced EMT Paramedic Module Mast Suit/E.O.A.

B.E.A.R.S.' roving reporter has been out to the coast namely California. Glad to see Esther back and to hear that Florence is on the mend.

Anyone interested in taking an advanced First Aid Course in January please call the Adult Education office at Telstar Regional High School.

Anyone interested in taking an E.M.T. course in January please contact Arlene Greenleaf at 824-2744.

The nominating committee will be meeting very soon to nominate officers for the next year.

Safety Tip

Folks it is now approaching cold weather. Remember it does not have to be below zero to suffer from hyperthermia (cold exposure). When outside for a period of time extra clothing should be worn. Anyone that has been consuming alcohol remember that this lowers your body's resistance to the cold.

North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Christopher had dinner with Arthur and Margaret Weeks on Sunday evening.

A large Sunday School and nice church service. Debbie Wales sang a solo.

Our Thanksgiving church service will be held at the Village Church night before Thanksgiving. All are welcome.

Our Christmas Sale will be the first week in December.

Rev. Donald Morrison's ordination Sunday evening.

Delbert McAllister and wife visited Iva Fox Saturday evening.

Linda and Scottie Allen spent the day with her mother Iva Fox. Elita Ring passed away Friday.

She was a member of the Lovell Church of Christ for more than 60 years. Our sympathy is with her children, Sam Ring, Elita McAllister and Richard Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring have returned home from a nice trip to Bar Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McAllister called at Iva Fox's, Saturday evening.

Rev. Donald Morrison visited Hazel Allen.

Rose Mary Smith stayed with her grandmother, Marion Kendall, for awhile Friday.

The Harry Belaskeys spent the week end at their home.

Esther Harriman called on her mother, Saturday.

The Carl Estes were here from Brunswick.

West Bethel

— Fannie Cummings, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing of West Paris were visitors of her sister, Fannie Cummings, and her niece, Cathryn Lovejoy on Tuesday.

Friday, Mansfield Packard of Waterville and Locke Mills, was an early morning caller at Alanson Cummings' for coffee and toast.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and George Stowell were Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell III of Falmouth.

Little Paul Sweetser was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Lovejoy.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cummings attended the 90th birthday observance of Roland Hagggett at the Norway American Legion Hall and in West Paris, the baby shower for Mrs. Gail Bottler and in Bryant Pond, they looked in on the open house, Frieden Dorf Pottery display.

Cathryn Lovejoy hurt a toe while

**THIS WEEK AT THE
ETHEL BISBEE SCHOOL**

The children in grades one and two at the Ethel Bisbee School have enjoyed the first series of Thursday Activity Periods. The children are in mixed groups and have a chance on alternate Thursdays to go to other classrooms for a special activity. The activity is changed after each child has participated in all four activities.

During October and November the children worked with Mrs. Gaudreau using exercise buoys, Mrs. McCluskey doing aerobic exercises, Mrs. Davis making apple sauce and cake (with help from Mrs. Peggy Wight) and Mrs. Gould drawing animals and cartoons. All are grateful to Mrs. Wight for her assistance.

An enjoyable assembly was held Friday morning for the first and second graders presented by the Dennison family. The Dennisons gave an entertaining puppet show about good manners, safety and patriotism. They answered the children's questions about puppets. Mrs. Dennison showed them how the puppets on the "Muppet Show" are operated. Thanks are expressed to the Dennisons.

**NEWS FROM MRS. BOUCHARD'S
NURSERY SCHOOL**

The nursery school children are busy planning the menu and choosing costumes for their Thanksgiving celebration. Parents are contributing special items and the children are making pies and helping with the stuffing of a goose.

Letter I was introduced this week. The children learned about Indian food and customs. They printed letter I and drew Indian figures. Number 5 was introduced and a five book is being made by each child.

During art time they made large turkeys and special holiday invitations.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Richard McAllister has received a \$500 scholarship from Unity College for being the top ranking junior student in the Wildlife Program. Richard is the son of Wesley McAllister and Elizabeth McAllister, both of West Paris.

Mrs. Lula Buck has received word of the birth of a great grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. John Lyons Jr. He has been named John Cleveland Lyons.

Raymond Farr Jr. and Everett Chase returned home Saturday after a week's hunting trip.

Mrs. Louie Coffin entertained Mrs. Frances Farrum, Kathleen McAllister, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Bertha Flanders, Locke Mills; Evelyn Hilborn, Bethel, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Buck, Oxford; Mrs. Madelyn Herrick, South Paris; Stanley Belaskeys, Lewiston; called on Mrs. Lula Buck over the week end.

Mrs. Clara Gordon is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

The Universalist Church annual chicken pie supper and sale will be held Thursday, Nov. 19. Sale

working and is having an uncomfortable time of it.

HOW IT WORKS — Mrs. Dennison showed the E.B.S. children how large puppets on the "Muppet Show" are operated at a special assembly at the school last Friday. Andy Aron is helping Mrs. Dennison.

Mrs. Nancy Cummings has left for New Jersey and her new job. Mrs. Sheila Otero-Otero will replace Mrs. Cummings as the Title I and Special Education aide.

Mrs. Kathy Bennett is substituting in the Kindergarten for Mrs. Gallant.

The Campbell's Labels for Education Program begins next Monday, Nov. 23. Labels from any size Campbell's soups, chunky soups, Franco-American products, V-8 juice, Campbell's tomato juice, beans or Swanson's canned foods qualify. Each label is worth one cent.

The goal has not been set yet but last year 23,000 labels were collected. Any contribution, large or small, will be appreciated.

Collection boxes are to be placed in the local businesses next week. The labels can be sent to E.B.S. The children will be having room contests again.

T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

The booster club supper was a great success. Tri Town served 225 people. Thanks to everyone who contributed in any way to that supper.

Construction is underway in the ambulance section of the Woodstock Town Garage. Warren Emery is having work crews on Tuesday evenings, Thursday evenings and Sunday afternoons at 1 p. m.

Stop by and see the progress. It is all framed in. Insulation is on the outside wall, and the side entrance door is in place. Better yet, stop by and lend a hand. This all volunteer ambulance service only continues with people in the community supporting it.

The next Auxiliary meeting is Tuesday evening, Dec. 1, at 7:30 p. m. at the West Paris Branch of the Bethel Savings Bank.

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Andover

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres. —

Mrs. Ann Fox entertained at luncheon last week, Mrs. Dorothy Campbell and Florence Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buzzell in Hermon.

Mrs. Ann Fox entertained on Nov. 3 at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fox and Rev. Rust.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fyrberg (nee Lana Nevel) are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Nov. 11, in Strong. She weighed 7 lbs., and 4 oz. She has been named Jennifer Robin. Sharing honors as grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fyrberg and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nevel. Miss Jennifer is the Nevel's first grandchild and the Fyrberg's fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Casey (nee Ginny Clements) of Penobscot St., Rumbold are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, twin sons, born Nov. 12, at Stevens Memorial Hospital, Norway. They have been named Peter and Paul and weighed in at 7 lbs., 14 oz. and 6 lbs., 12 oz. They will be greeted at home by a big sister, Rebecca Roberts, age 3 years. Sharing honors as grandparents are maternal, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Clements, Andover; maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns, Rumbold Point and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Clements, Mercer. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Casey, Howard St., Mexico and paternal great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Anderson of Spruce Street, Rumbold.

The Back Street Lawn and Garden Club held its last meeting of the 1981 season the last of October, due to the energy crisis they don't hold meetings in the winter. Among the topics discussed at the last meeting was the best way to pile wood so to make the most use of the space available. Also on what date they would start their tomato and cabbage plants so they'll be ready for spring planting. They wished everyone a very happy holiday season and hoped to see them all the first meeting in May at the usual place.

A good crowd of interested persons attended the open house at "Elderwood Manor" on Church Street on Saturday and Sunday. At the dedication service, Rev. Norman Rust, Interim Minister of the First Congregational Church, was Master of Ceremonies. Guest speakers were Mrs. Jane Rich and Austin Daigle, Selectmen of Andover; Norman Ferguson of Andover, former State Congressman; Lauriston Richards of K. and H. Foster, Inc., builders.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Myshral welcomed everyone and served coffee and cookies.

Anyone wishing more information may address their correspondence to Elderwood Manor, P. O. Box 118, Andover, Maine 04216 or call Andover 392-2241. The general opinion was it was a very comfortable place to live.

On Nov. 12 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faulkenham and Mrs. Dorothy

Campbell attended the Fish and Game Association Thanksgiving supper and meeting in Canton.

On Nov. 13 Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting and Mrs. Beatrice Dresser were in Topsham on business and stopped in Lewiston to do some shopping.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey were in Lewiston on Saturday shopping. There were quite a few from town at Peck's going out of business sale.

Miss Maryanne Jaros is a patient at Maine Medical Center in Portland. Her address is Maine Medical Center, Portland, Maine 04101.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt, visited his father, Arthur Thurston on Sunday at Ledgewood Memorial Home and took him for a ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston attended the Twin Cities Squares dance on Friday. Joe Perham was the caller.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston went with Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington to the "Swinging Bears" dance on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Morton were also there from Andover. Yodelin Charlie McLeod of Randolph, Mass., was the caller. The brought the banner home.

Octavia Poole of Lansing, Mich., granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson and Sara Bowman of Brownie Troop 352 of Lansing, Mich. were chosen recently at the first National-International Scout meeting to have their pictures taken for the Scout Leaders magazine sent to all Scout leaders, nationwide.

Scouts from the world association of Girl Scouts and Girl Guides meet Saturday at Lansing, Mich., Civic Center in one of the first meetings of this kind of 700 Brownie, Jr. Girl Scouts, Cadettes, Senior Scouts and leaders. Girl Scouts and Girl Guides met from the United States, England, Korea, Mexico, Canada, Thailand, Japan, France and India. During the all day meeting the girls shared ideas, made crafts and shared songs in their respective languages. Pictures were taken of the different scouts and their countries flags. Among those chosen from the U. S. (Lansing Scouts) were Brownies from Troop #352, Octavia Poole, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson of Andover and Sara Bowman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bowman of Lansing.

Brownies of Troop #352 are writing to sister troops in Andover, Maine, and Marquette, Ariz. Among those writing to the Andover troop are Octavia and Medea Poole.

Andover Elementary School is beginning a program through which they plan to get free athletic equipment. Your help would be greatly appreciated. They need the "Fun and Fitness" proof of purchase seals from any Post cereals. A box to collect the seals is in Mills Market or they may be sent to school with any student.

On Friday, Nov. 13, the Andover

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East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe were week end guests of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stanley, South Portland.

Mrs. Floribel Haines and Mrs. Agnes Haines attended the supper for the Moses Mason guides Friday at the Moses Mason House.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett recently returned from a Caribbean cruise on the Queen Elizabeth II.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Lillian Bartlett were Mr. and Mrs. John Swan, Dixfield; Clayton Bartlett, Ogunquit, and David Barron, Biddeford.

Mrs. Angie Ridout, Mrs. Maud Dantforth, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, Mrs. Floribel Haines, Mrs. Agnes Haines and Mrs. Lillian Bartlett attended the Senior Citizens meeting on Nov. 11 at the L.O.O.F. Hall in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith and family of Bucksport; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carson, Portland, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frazer and family, Charles Jr., Daryl, Angela and Holly, of Lewiston, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks Sunday.

Mrs. Myra Foster returned home Sunday evening from her visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell in West Lebanon, N. Y., for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumbold Corner took her down Oct. 29 and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hamlin of South Waterford brought her back, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster of Andover and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumbold Corner called on Mrs. Foster, Monday.

Friday Club met at the home of Mrs. Thelma Clark with Marie Lang as co-hostess. Dr. Wayne Gersen, Superintendent of S.A.D. #44, spoke on "New Testing Programs" in the school system. Donations were made to C.A.R.E. Those attending were Virginia Daigle, Edith Bartlett, Josephine Poor, Margaret Learned, Alys Parsons, Minnie Akers, Gertrude Dymon, Judy Richardson, Betsy Fisher, Desda Fogg, Ann Fox, Florence Hall, Dorothy Campbell and the hostesses Thelma Clark and Marie Lang.

NOTICE Election of officers for Local #77 U.N.W.A. A.P.C.O. for 1982 will be held at the Bryant Pond Fire Station on Monday, Dec. 7, 1981, at 7 p. m.

Recording Secretary, Belmont House

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WOODSTOCK HISTORICAL SOCIETY ENJOYS POTTERY DEMONSTRATION

Last Saturday evening the Woodstock Historical Society enjoyed a pottery demonstration by Fay Corrin at the Frieden Dorf Pottery Shop on Main Street, Bryant Pond. Mrs. Corrin showed slides on various places she had been for workshops and several well-known artists she had studied with. She then demonstrated "throwing" pieces on her wheel. Many members of the Society had never seen this done. She also made a pitcher and presented it to the Society. A tour of the building was included in the program. The Society is very grateful for the Corrin's gracious invitation to visit the studio. Mrs. Corrin's work would make ideal Christmas gifts, so plan to visit the shop soon.

At the business meeting a committee was appointed to hunt for an appropriate building for the Society. Members include: Trustees Merle Ring, Sterling Mills, and Mansfield Packard, plus Robert Billings, Spike Noyes, and Larry Billings. The President, Eva Billings Twitchell, is, of course, an ex officio member.

The group also agreed to present a display at the upcoming Adult Ed. exhibition at Telstar Dec. 2. President Eva Twitchell and Curator Larry Billings will organize the display.

In addition, Mrs. Louisa Noyes was appointed Assistant Curator of the museum by the Curator. Everyone in Woodstock is familiar with Mrs. Noyes as she worked for many years as Librarian at the Whitman Memorial Library. She will be a tremendous help in cataloging and maintaining acquisitions for the museum, especially the reference library, which is growing monthly.

NORTH WATERFORD SENIOR CITIZENS TO HAVE CHRISTMAS DINNER, DEC. 2

The Friendly Senior Citizens of North Waterford will have their annual Christmas dinner at the Punkin Valley Inn, Bridgton, on Dec. 2, 1981, at 12:00 noon. Meeting will follow dinner. Own transportation. Members wishing information, or reservations may call Gene Maillet, 824-2376.

DEMONSTRATION EQUIPMENT AT SUNDAY RIVER. THANKSGIVING WEEK END

For all those skiers who would like to try before they buy, The Ski Rack Ski Shop and Jack Frost Ski Shop will offer complimentary demonstration equipment at Sunday River Ski Area on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 27, 28 and 29.

Other events of the Thanksgiving Weekend include a free turkey dinner at 3 p. m. in the Sunday River Lodge. The meal is offered to anyone purchasing a lift ticket on Thanksgiving Day. The free learn-to-ski program known as "Introduce a Friend to Skiing" will be offered on Friday, Nov. 27 as well as Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 28 and 29.

Sunday River opened for skiing on the Ecstasy and Cascades Slopes Saturday, Nov. 14. Snowmaking is in progress around the clock to open additional terrain on both the upper mountain and the South Ridge Slopes.

BORN

In Rumford, Oct. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Colby (Carol Young), a daughter.

In Norway, Nov. 10, to Mary Ann and Gerald O'Connor of West Bethel, a daughter, Bridget Winifred.

In Strong, Nov. 11, to Glenn and Lana Nevel Fyrborg (Andover), a daughter, Jennifer Robin.

In Norway, Nov. 12, to Steven and Ginny Clements Casey of Rumford, twin sons, Peter and Paul.

In Lewiston, Nov. 12, to Joan E. Vail and David L. Bartlett of Newry, a daughter, Chelsey Marie Bartlett.

In Norway, Nov. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bean (Ethel Kimball), of Otsfield, a son, Jonathan Kimball.

DIED

In Portland, Oct. 20, Mrs. Edith H. Carter of South Portland, native of Bethel, aged 77 years.

In Fryeburg, Nov. 13, Mrs. Etta G. Ring of Lovell, aged 96 years.

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BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Cecilia J. Hoy has been promoted to Business Development Officer. It has been announced by the Bethel Savings Bank. Cecilia graduated from Osborn High School, Manassas, Va. She has had eight years of banking experience and has completed several American Institute of Banking courses. Before joining the Bethel Savings Bank, Cecilia was employed by Canal Bank in Lewiston. She resides with her husband, Doug, and daughter at Mt. Abram, Locke Mills.



BRANCH MANAGER

Archie R. Taylor II has assumed the duties of Branch Manager of the Harrison Office according to an announcement made this week by the Bethel Savings Bank. Mr. Taylor graduated from Cape Elizabeth High School and Thomas College in Waterville with B. S. Management Major. Before joining the Bethel Savings Bank, he was employed by Northeast Bank, Augusta Branch, and Casco Bank and Trust, Portland. Archie and his wife, Barbara, and two children will be moving to Punkin Valley, West Bridgton, in the near future.

BRYANT POND UNITARIAN-UNIVERSALIST CHURCH NEWS

Unitarian-Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will hold a Fellowship Service at 6 p. m. on Nov. 22. This Thanksgiving service will really be special. There will be a place in the service where each person can express their own thoughts on Thanksgiving. Tanya Corrin will play flute for this occasion. Everyone is welcome!

PLEASANT VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH

There was a good attendance Sunday, Nov. 15. A thank you was read from Gail Sysko.

Coming on Mondays, the New Christians class with Stanley Jones at the Walkers at 7 p. m.

Saturday, Nov. 21, the second teachers training class will have Miss Joyce Forsythe of the Child Evangelism Fellowship here, 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.

Sunday, Nov. 22, Missionary Charles Cousins will be present during the morning service.

Saturday night at 8 o'clock there is a Friendship party at the Stowell's.

Donations for the Thanksgiving Food Baskets will be brought to Church Sunday.

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GILEAD SCHOOL BOARD MET NOV. 13

The Gilead School Board, Linda Smith and Mary Tyler, met on Friday, Nov. 13, in the office of Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Wayne F. Gerson. The Board accepted the resignation of Gilead bus driver, Freda Gaudreau, effective Friday, Nov. 20. The Board decided to post the position at a salary of \$4.50 per hour, offering six paid holidays per year, but no Blue Cross/Blue Shield or vacation benefits. The new bus driver would serve a six month probationary period. During this probationary period the driver will receive holiday benefits. Apart from the differences in salary, Blue Cross/Blue Shield, vacations and holidays, the new driver will be subject to the provisions of the S.A.D. #44 A.F.S.C.M.E. contract. In the interim period between Nov. 20, and the hiring of a new bus driver, the Town of Gilead will contract with S.A.D. #44 to drive the Gilead bus. S.A.D. #44 will assist the Town of Gilead in the selection and training of their new bus driver.

The Town of Gilead is seeking a new school board member to complete the term of Lois McGurn, who has relocated into Bethel. Anyone interested in serving on the Gilead School Board should contact either Linda Smith or Mary Tyler, or any of the Gilead selectmen.

WIGHT ELECTED TO NSTOA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The National Ski Touring Operators Association (NSTOA) recently announced the election of Steve Wight as a member of the Board of directors of the association. The membership of NSTOA consists of 100 highly regarded touring centers located throughout the country. The organization's purpose is to set standards and foster professionalism in cross country ski area management and to increase interest in the sport of ski touring through the promotion of

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP OF WEST PARISH CHURCH

The Youth Fellowship of West Parish Congregational Church sponsored a hayride on Tuesday, Nov. 10. Forty-eight youth and advisors participated in the ride from the church out to Songo Pond then to Crocker Pond and back over Grover Hill to the church again where cocoa, cookies, and warmth were enjoyed by all.

The Fellowship is very grateful to Western Maine Supply Co. for the use of the truck and hay and especially to Ivory Currier who piloted the noisy, enthusiastic truckload of squirming bodies through the cold clear moonlit night.

The Fellowship is sponsoring a paper drive. Newspaper (no magazines) will be collected for the next several weeks. The group asks that the paper be tied in bundles and left at the church or parsonage. If pick-up of your paper is needed call Steve Wight (824-2410). The drive will end Dec. 14 at the annual Christmas Family Night Supper. Earnings from the drive will be put toward an anticipated Spring Retreat and for Heifer Project International.

Congratulations to John Douglas Wayne on your movie debut.

GOULD ACADEMY COOKBOOK AVAILABLE

The long awaited Gould Academy Cookbook has now arrived and is available just in time for the holiday season. The cookbook is a result of the hard work and effort of Mrs. Robert E. Roselle, mother of Jennifer Jamieson, a sophomore at Gould, and contains recipes from alumni, parents and friends of the Academy.

The spiral bound, 182-page book is divided into special sections, including appetizers, soups, salads, sauces and dips, vegetables, main dishes, breads, and desserts. Also included are kitchen hints, such as rules for using herbs, baking dish and pan size charts, freezing, food quantities for large groups, and standard measurements.

Almost every graduating class at Gould is represented by alumni recipes, with others coming from parents, past parents, and faculty. The culinary delights range from homemade boursin cheese, gazpacho, hunter's soup, watergate salad, red pepper jam, beanhole beans, scalloped tomatoes, curry, Cincinnati chili, Canadian meat pie, chicken caboose, Swedish meatballs, sole with shrimp, Philbrook Farm dark bread, corn fritters, grandma's squares, old fashioned sugar cookies, to rose hip wine. The book will be a welcome addition to every kitchen, providing cooks with hundreds of recipes to try.

The Gould Academy cookbook began as a project sponsored by the Parents' Association with Mrs. Roselle acting as editor. Alumni and parents were solicited for their favorite dishes and over 350 recipes were submitted. The books are available at the Gould Academy Bookstore in Hansom Hall or the Alumni Office in the Infirmary.

touring centers as places to learn ski techniques, improve abilities, and enjoy the comradeship of family and friends.

Steve and his wife, Peggy, have owned and operated Sunday River Ski Touring Center since 1971. With the able assistance of their children, Keith, 14, Eric, 13, and Sara, 7, they provide excellent skiing and fellowship to thousands of ski tourists of all ages on 25 miles of maintained trails in the Sunday River Valley.

Steve, Keith and Eric recently attended a NSTOA meeting in Albany, N. Y., at which they participated in seminars on trail grooming, area promotion, ski instruction, and snowmaking.

COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS TO MEET AT MEXICO, NOV. 21

The Oxford County Retired Teachers Association will meet on Saturday, Nov. 21 at Mexico High School. Fund raiser: Craft Sale. Luncheon at noon. Program: Mrs. Natalie Mortenson and Mrs. Connie Laurinaitis on "To Russia with Love."

Marine Cpl. James J. Sweetser, son of Esther B. Sweetser, has reported for duty with the 3rd Maintenance Battalion, on Okinawa. A 1976 graduate of Telstar Regional High School, he joined the Marine Corps in Nov. 1975.

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student will be excluded from S. A. D. #44 schools.

Also approved was the "first reading" of an amended "Student Attendance Policy" as follows:
A strong relationship exists between regular school attendance and academic performance. Classroom interaction between teacher and pupil and pupil and pupil is an integral part of the process of learning.

In order to encourage good attendance, improved academic achievement, and good work habits, S.A.D. #44 will deny academic credit to any student who is excessively absent from school.
The following guidelines shall determine excessive absenteeism:
—For elementary students, 25 days per year; for courses of 13 week duration, 13 class periods per semester; for courses of 9 week duration, 7 class periods per quarter.

ALL absenteeism is computed in determining excessive absenteeism. The following absences will be charged to the students as excused absences: A. Personal illness or injury; B. Appointments with health professionals that cannot be made outside of the regular school day; C. Observance of recognized religious holidays when the observance is required during a regular school day; D. Emergency family situation; E. Planned absences for personal or educational purposes for which the parents have notified the school in advance.

Any absence from school for reasons other than those stated above, shall be considered unexcused.

The Administration of S.A.D. #44 reserves the right to verify all notes for excused absence or medical appointments. The school reserves the right to accept or reject a written excuse where there is a question of valid reason.

Provision is made for exceptions to this policy as follows:
A. Absence from school because of school sponsored events such as field trips, athletic events, student council meetings, etc., are not included; B. Absences due to suspension from school are not included; C. Absences due to prolonged serious illness, verified by a doctor, death in the immediate family, or other serious matters may also be excluded.

In order to have such absences considered for exclusion, it is the responsibility of the student to comply with the appropriate procedures established in the school in order to request a review by the Attendance Committee.

The Committee will rule on individual student absences, deciding each case by the majority vote. When the Attendance Committee reviews each individual case, it shall take into consideration the number of unexcused absences in relation to excused absences.

The Committee will include the following: the building principal; a member of the guidance staff (at the high school); two or three teachers elected by the faculty.

The decision of the Attendance Committee with regard to the specific absences may be appealed to the Superintendent of Schools, and to the Board of Directors.

The directors approved the developing of a proposal for the construction of an eight-room elementary school.

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MRS. ETTA G. RING

Mrs. Etta G. Ring, a life-long resident of Lovell as well as its oldest citizen, died Friday, Nov. 13, 1981, at a Fryeburg nursing home.

She was born in Lovell 96 years ago, a daughter of Moses and Emma Kneeland Gilman, and attended local schools. Her husband, Harry G. Ring, died in 1953.

Mrs. Ring was a member of the Lovell United Church of Christ and a former member of the Grange. She was the holder of the Boston Post Gold-Headed Cane.

Surviving are two sons, Samuel H., of Lovell, and Richard G., of Dixfield; a daughter, Elna M. McAllister of Albany; six grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren, and six great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Wood funeral home, Fryeburg, with interment in Number Four Cemetery.

MRS. EDITH H. CARTER

Mrs. Edith H. Carter, native of Bethel, died Tuesday, Oct. 20, 1981 at a Portland hospital, following a long illness.

Born in Bethel, May 8, 1904, she was the daughter of Elmer and Blanche Swan Trask. She was married to Leslie W. Carter and had resided in the Portland area for many years, in South Portland at the time of her death.

Survivors include one son, Leslie Carter Jr., South Portland; a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Crummett, North Windham; six grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Private funeral services were held in Portland, with interment at Riverside Cemetery, Bethel, on Oct. 22.

tary school in Woodstock and if funds are available, an addition to the Crescent Park Elementary School in Bethel, and take this design proposal to the S.A.D. #44 voters. The Superintendent was authorized to advertise for an architect to develop the aforementioned design proposal. Advertisements are to be placed in newspapers in Augusta, Portland and Boston.

The agenda item dealing with the issue of authorizing the Superintendent of Schools to assume the powers and duties of the Building Committee was tabled until a future meeting of the board.

All board members were present at the Monday session.

The next meeting of the S.A. D. #44 directors is scheduled for 7:30 Monday evening, Nov. 30, at the Telstar Library.

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